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C O N F I D E N T I A L SINGAPORE 4463

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, UN, US, SN

SUBJ: MULTILATERAL DIPLOMACY: KOREA AND PUERTO RICO

REF: A. STATE 234389, B. SINGAPORE 4016

1. DURING MEETING SEPTEMBER 24 WITH DEPUTY SECRETARY OF MFA, TAN BOON SENG, DCM EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR SINGAPORE'S RESERVATION WITH RESPECT TO KOREAN RESOLUTION ADOPTED AT NAM COLOMBO, AND NOTED FAVORABLE IMPACT OF THE MANY RESERVATIONS ON OUTCOME OF KOREA ISSUE AT UNGA. DCM REMINDED TAN THAT FOREIGN MINISTER RAJARATNAM HAD PROMISED AMBASSADOR GOS WOULD ALSO ENTER FORMAL RESERVATION WITH RESPECT TO NAM RESOLUTION ON PUERTO RICO (SEE REF B), BUT THIS HAD NOT YET BEEN DONE. ALTHOUGH COMMITTEE OF 24 HAD PREVENTED PUERTO RICAN ISSUE FROM GOING TO UNGA, DCM SAID U.S. FELT IT WAS IMPORTANT FOR AS MANY GOVERNMENTS AS POSSIBLE TO ENTER RESERVATIONS WITH RESPECT TO NAM RESOLUTION ON PUERTO RICO TO PREVENT POSSIBILITY THAT THIS ISSUE MIGHT BE RAISED AGAIN.

2. TAN APPEARED TO AGREE, INDICATED FAILURE TO ENTER RESERVATION MAY HAVE BEEN AN OVERSIGHT BY NAM CONFERENCE SECRETARIAT, AND PROMISED TO LOOK INTO THE MATTER. HOLDRIDGE

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